

## SPECIFICATION

Examiner objected to the specification because the method claimed in the specification is not in the abstract. The revised Abstract which reads as follows:

### **ABSTRACT**

A motorized conveyor roller having a rotatable portion and at least one stationary end non-rotatable portion; including a method of inhibiting contact with a motorized rotatable conveyor roller that drives a conveyor medium.

Furthermore, Examiner objected to the disclosure on the basis that the word "on" on page 6, line 9 should be replaced with "or" as follows:

The other ends 90 and 91 of stationary shafts 64 and 65 have a cross-section which permits the other ends 90 and 91 of the first and second stationary shafts 64 and 65 to be held by a shaft holder on the like or the like that will register with the square cross-section for positive securement. In Fig. 2 the other end 90 and 91 presents a generally square cross-section so as to prevent rotation of the stationary shafts 64 and 65. The other end 91 of second stationary shaft 65 illustrates a PG9 connector 53.

Moreover, Examiner stated that reference numeral "1" has been used to describe a "rotatable portion", a "hollow drum or shell", and a "roller tube".

The following changes have been made to page 4, paragraph starting at line 21:

Figure 1 generally illustrates the motorized conveyor roller 60 having a rotatable portion, hollow drum, a roller tube 1. The rotatable portion 1 ~~comprises a hollow drum or shell 1 is~~ disposed between a first generally cylindrical stationary end or portion 54 and a second generally cylindrical stationary end or portion 55. The first and second cylindrical stationary ends 54 and 55 define two opposite stationary ends 54 and 55.

Moreover, the Examiner stated that with respect to page 7 lines 2-6, Examiner stated that there is no structured claim in the invention that enables it to increase its own

co-efficient of friction. Accordingly, Agent for Applicant has revised page 7 lines 1 to 5 as follows.

surface 74 and 75 of first and second stationary ends 54 and 55, since outer surface 95 is slightly raised. Furthermore the outer surface 95 can include ~~any variety of means to increase the co-efficient of friction between the outer surface 95 and the conveyer medium such as for example by knurling or machining a spiral at each end toward the center or by covering the outer surface 95 with rubber so as to increase the co-efficient of friction between the surface 95 and conveyor.~~